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LOCAL NEWS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claud Nutson, April 28, a son.

A ten pound son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goeckel, South Chipman street.

Geo. R. Wilson of Chicago, was a guest at the home of E. O. Dewey, Thursday.

Drs. G. P. and C. A. Sackrider are in Roscommon county looking after their farming interests.

Misses Elsie Whipple, Amorit McCall and Rishpah Terbush attended a house party in Ann Arbor the last of the week.

Miss Gertrude Dutcher and Irving Spinning both of Owosso, were married April 27 in this city, and will reside here.

Dr. A. M. Hume, chief surgeon of the Ann Arbor railroad, has been in Chicago attending the national meeting of railway surgeons this week.

Mrs. C. C. Duff while walking Friday with Mrs. M. L. Stewart, tripped and fell, fracturing a bone in her right wrist and badly straining the muscles.

Grand Conductress Ida M. Hume and Past Grand Marshal Lola E. Brown, were in Milburn, Wednesday, to install the officers of the Eastern Star lodge there.

Mrs. C. F. Dawson and daughter LaReign, left Friday for Logansport, Ind., in response to a message announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Dawson's father, J. W. Crook.

The date for the hearing as to the mental condition of Robert C. Farley of New Haven, has been set for May 5 by Judge Bush. Physicians have examined Mr. Farley.

D. C. McNamee returned to his home in Corunna, Monday, from the Miller hospital, Owosso, where he had been receiving treatment for several months. He hopes to get out soon.

Mrs. Thomas Towler left for Chicago, Wednesday, to make her future home. Her address will be 7401 Morgan avenue, and she will be glad to have her Owosso friends call on her while in Chicago.

Miss Anna Lewis was hostess to a party of friends Saturday evening at her home, South Washington street. The table was prettily decorated for a course luncheon with yellow and white flowers. Covers were laid for sixteen. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Moldenhauer of Bath, George Snell and Miss Hazelle Stanhope of Lansing.

George W. Priest of Venice, has received a letter from Mrs. Will Priest of Yucaipa, Calif., stating that she will come to Owosso about the middle of this month with the remains of her husband, who died several weeks ago. The funeral will be held in Owosso in charge of Owosso lodge of Masons, and interment will be made in Venice cemetery.

The regular meeting of the Frances Willard W. C. T. U. was held April 27, at the home of Mrs. J. Perkins, Corunna avenue. Delegates to the county convention were elected as follows: Mesdames Lovett, Cowden, Olive Thomas, Chase, Stevens, North, and Miss Anna Briggs. Alternates—Mesdames Gilmore, Barkart, Magoffin, Brown, Bamforth and Laura Thomas. There was a good attendance and a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

The Heart and Hand class of the Baptist Sunday school gave Rev. H. A. Waite and family a happy social surprise at the parsonage Monday evening, about 50 members calling to install new electric light fixtures in the parsonage. Herbert Needham, teacher of the class, made the presentation speech and Rev. Waite responded. An enjoyable evening was passed.

The Queen Esther Reading Circle of the First M. E. church held a pleasant meeting with Miss Inez Forester Monday evening. A pot luck supper was served and during the business session Mrs. Neva Alliton and Miss Ethel Hutchinson were elected delegates to the Home Missionary convention to be held at Flint, May 16 and 17. Mrs. Faith Hall was elected superintendent of the Mother of Jewels. A social session followed.

A son was born April 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris, Main street.

Mrs. B. L. Axford and daughter, Miss Ruth, left Thursday for a short stay in Chicago, Ill.

A. F. Loomis went to Mt. Clemens Thursday where he will take treatment for rheumatism.

Cecil O. Post, formerly of this city has been appointed assistant branch manager for the Studebaker corporation, with headquarters at Cleveland, O.

Arthur L. Moore, formerly of this city, who has been traveling in the southern states is quite ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Warren, in Highland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Beswick, recently of Detroit, who have been spending a few days in this city with relatives have gone to Muskegon to reside.

At a meeting of the Athletic club of the First M. E. church Wednesday evening, Forest Crampton was elected president and Miss Helen Cansfield, secretary and treasurer.

A. E. Hartshorn has arrived in this city from a several months' stay in Florida. Mrs. Hartshorn, who is enroute to this city is visiting relatives in Dansville, O.

Roy Zintel, who has been associated with the Union Telephone company for the past 11 years, has resigned his position. For a number of years he has been wire chief and has been very successful in his work.

Complimenting Mrs. Helen Fairman Williams, who was recently married, Mrs. William McEntee, East Comstock street, pleasantly entertained at a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening. About twenty guests were present and games and music rounded out a delightful evening. Light refreshments were served and the honored guest received many fine gifts.

Municipal Justice Friegele gave a decision of no cause of action in the case of C. J. Harle of Duffield, formerly of this city, against Frank Stebbins, son of T. E. Stebbins. He held that the evidence in the case did not furnish sufficient basis for an action for \$100 damages such as was begun by the plaintiff. Mr. Harle claimed that his automobile was damaged to the extent of about \$15 when the defendant drove it without his permission.

St. Agnes Guild Officers.

St. Agnes Guild met with Miss Addie Crowe, Main street, Tuesday evening, and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. George E. McKenzie; first vice president, Mrs. W. D. Burke; second vice president, Miss Addie Crowe; secretary, Mrs. Richard Ferris; treasurer, Mrs. F. S. Fritz. The organization has had a very successful year and is in prosperous condition.

Charged With Bigamy.

John H. Madison, former grocer at Ionia, was arrested Wednesday in Lansing, where his mother lives, on a charge of bigamy preferred by Mrs. Mabel Madison to whom he was married in Owosso last February. He was arraigned Thursday in the municipal court and demanded examination, which was set for today. He was remanded to the county jail in default of \$1,000 bail. Madison told Municipal Justice Friegele when arraigned that when he left Ionia recently he turned his grocery business over to his wife. She represented when making the complaint, that the business was hers. She charged that Madison was never divorced from a woman he abandoned some years ago, who now resides in Detroit.

Corunna City Appointments.

A number of citizens attended the council meeting Monday night. Following the routine business, the mayor announced the following appointments which were confirmed by the council:

City Attorney, Walter Bush.
Street Commissioner and City Engineer, Joseph Smith.
Care Taker, McCurdy Park, Mark Martin.
Night Watch, John Lewis.
City Surveyor, Vernon Royce.
Supt. Water Works, A. Withington.

Chief Fire Dept., John Elkins.
Special Assessors, George Beemer, and John C. Quayle.

Fire Warden, Tower Jackson.
Cemetery Board, C. D. Smith for term of five years; Elvin Mills, for term of 2 years; J. Van de Vusse for term of three years; W. A. McMullen term of two years, and J. J. Peacock term of one year.

Health Officer, Dr. W. T. Parker.
Alderman Fred Peacock was elected president of the council.

The large scale in which farming is carried on at the farm of the Owosso Sugar Co. is shown by the following item from the Saginaw Courier Herald: Jacob DeGens, manager of the Prairie Farm, was in the city yesterday on business. Mr. DeGens stated that farming operations were progressing rapidly and that at the Prairie Farm they now had 900 acres of oats and 200 acres of barley planted. This is somewhat remarkable on diked land when it is considered that many farmers on comparatively high land have been unable to get on their land to prepare it for planting. However, reports from the drained lands show that little difficulty has been experienced with them.

Finds Husband Dead in Stairway

Mrs. Jennie Hayes, 309 Gude street, received a severe shock when she went to call her husband, Chas. Hayes to breakfast Wednesday morning about 6 o'clock and found him dead.

Mr. Hayes, who was day watchman at the Owosso Carriage factory returned from work Tuesday evening apparently in the best of health. Wednesday morning when he did not respond after his wife had called to him several times she went to his room and found him dead. On the arrival of a physician it was found that he had been dead for six hours, death being due to an attack of apoplexy.

Mr. Hayes who was sixty-one years of age was born in Medina, O., and in 1877 was married to Mrs. Jennie Gibson. Besides his widow deceased is survived by two children, Ralph Hayes, of this city, Mrs. Geo. Spach of Grand Rapids and a brother, Burt Hayes of Galesburg.

Death of Mrs. Clinton Whitehearse

Following an illness of five years with consumption, Mrs. Clinton Whitehearse passed away, Thursday morning at 1:20 o'clock, at her home, 915 Milwaukee street.

The funeral will be held, Saturday afternoon at 1:30, from the First M. E. church. Rev. Hartley Cansfield will officiate. Interment in Oak Hill cemetery.

The deceased, who formerly was Miss Hattie Harris, was born forty years ago in Saginaw county. Since her marriage in 1896, she has made her home in Owosso. She was able to be about the house until within a few hours prior to her death.

Besides a husband, deceased is survived by the following relatives: a son, Howard, of Flint, a daughter, Mrs. Hazel of this city; a brother, Dr. Charles Harris Hill, of Georgia, who when a child was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Hill, residing near St. Johns. A son, Clyde, died ten years ago.

"The Primrose Path" Given by Class of 1916 of High School.

Despite the unfavorable weather, Monday evening, a large number of high school students and others who are as fully interested, packed the Family Theatre, to witness "The Primrose Path," a pretty production given by the senior class. The entertainment was successfully rendered in every appointed detail. The student actors and actresses were enthusiastic and derived great delight in playing out the comedy, in which is interwoven an interesting love plot, humor and sincerity.

The cast of characters were introduced to the audience in a different but clever manner. As the curtain rose Miss Carolyn Barber, who directed the play, made those who took part known as they entered in appropriate and handsome costumes as follows:

Lady Olivia Olifant—Mable Ashton.

Lady Joyce Olifant—Adelaide Thompson.

Ursula, an old nurse—Pauline Johnson.

Phyllis, lady in waiting—Ruth Axford.

Janet, lady in waiting—Leona Goodwill.

Lord Nicholas Olifant, lord of the castle—George Weideman.

Lord Hunsden—Edward Foess.

Sir Willoughby Williams, a suitor for the hand of Lady Olivia—Arthur Cansfield.

Sir Kenneth Graham, masquerading as a minstrel—Colin McCormick.

Jackstraw, cousin to the ladies of the castle—Sam Voight.

Robin, a page—Kenneth Willoughby.

Peter, the porter—Wayne Crampton.

Toby, Sir William's attendant—Gail Tannehill.

Minor Pages: Trim, Arthur Cansfield; Jerry, Sam Voight; Dick, Edward Foess; Andy, Wayne Crampton.

Between acts and at the close the audience was treated to specialties consisting of music rendered by the Palmer orchestra, vocal selections and novel dances. In behalf of the senior class Miss Bernice Honnecker presented Miss Barber with a handsome bouquet of roses as an expression of gratitude for her careful and successful training of which she is deserving of no little credit.

The entertainment was rounded out with the minuet, gracefully danced by Colin McCormick, Wayne Crampton, Sam Voight, Arthur Cansfield and Misses Mable Ashton, Adelaide Thompson, Pauline Johnson and Ruth Axford.

The money realized will be placed in the high school funds to help defray the expense of the high school annual publication, "Spic."

Death of Mrs. D. R. Salisbury.

Mrs. Angie Stimson Salisbury, wife of David R. Salisbury, died late Monday night at the Salisbury home, 212 East Mason street, after a long illness with liver trouble. Mrs. Salisbury had been failing since last July, but had been confined to her bed only for the past two weeks. Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home, Rev. Hartley Cansfield officiating. The remains will be interred at Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Salisbury was born on November 8, 1853 on a farm in Middlebury township and had spent her entire life in this county. She lived in Owosso township for a time during girlhood and after her marriage, on August 31, 1871, she lived for many years in Bennington township. Twenty-eight years ago Mr. and Mrs. Salisbury moved to Owosso and have since resided here. Two children, Delbert, who died in infancy, and Oliver D., who survives his mother, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Salisbury.

The deceased was an active worker in the First M. E. church before her health failed and was a member of the Eastern Stars.

Surviving her are her husband, one son, Oliver, and two brothers and two sisters. They are Mrs. Eugene Robertson and Kingsley Stimson of Owosso and John Stimson of Elsie and Mrs. William Perkins of Henderson.

Peter Thome of Westphalia, is visiting his son, E. N. Thome, East Exchange street.

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